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FOR USE IN FUEL CELLS, AND PARTIAL  
REFORMATE FUEL CELL SYSTEM HAVING  
REFORMING CATALYSTS IN THE ANODE  
FUEL CELL COMPARTMENT

**AMENDMENT**

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In response to the Action of August 25, 2003, please amend this application as follows:

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